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In re Application of: Pissarnitski et al.

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Amendment and Request for Reconsideration

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of May 17, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks, and the Terminal Disclaimer filed herewith.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin at page 17 of this paper.